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SONYJP 3.0-138Application No.
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Applicant(s): Jun Hirai

Invention: CONTENT DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM, CONTENT DISTRIBUTION METHOD, CONTENT
DISTRIBUTION STATUS MONITORING APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND CONTENT
USING APPARATUS AND METHOD**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2006 and further in response to the Advisory Action dated May 24, 2006, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.